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In re Application:)	
MacDonald, et al.)	Examiner: Robert Nasser
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Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 17, 2004 and the Notice of Non-Compliance dated April 29, 2005, please refer to the following remarks:

A **List of Claims** is provided herewith for the Examiner's convenience, beginning on p. 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on pg. 6 of this paper.

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This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereto by reference and the signature below is to be treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

Fee requirements (if any) have been calculated as shown below:

Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for	Present Extra	Additional Fee
27	27	0	\$ 0.00
Total Effective Claims			
Independent Claims	3	0	\$ 0.00
If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time, add \$290.00 (per application)			
Since Official Action set an original due date of <u>N/A</u>			
PETITION is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month \$120; 2 months \$450; 3 months \$1020; 4 months \$1590, 5 months \$2,160)			
If Terminal Disclaimer enclosed, add Rule 20(d) Official Fee (\$110.00)			
SUBTOTAL:			\$ 0.00
If "small entity" verified statement filed [] previously, [] herewith, enter one-half (1/2) of subtotal and subtract			
TOTAL:			\$ 0.00
Other:			\$ 0.00
TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED:			\$ 0.00

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